

Docket No.: 050395-0212



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
Takashi FUKUOKA	:	Confirmation Number: 3616
Application No.: 10/606,154	:	Group Art Unit: 2613
Filed: June 26, 2003	:	Examiner: Marina Y. Taranina
For: AN OPTICAL RECEIVER AND AN OPTICAL COMMUNICATION SYSTEM USING THE SAME		

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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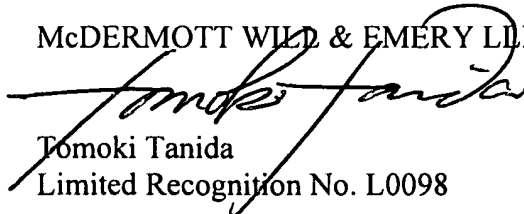
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated July 17, 2006, now due to expire October 17, 2006, be extended for two month(s) and set to expire on December 17, 2006.

Please charge the extension fee of \$450.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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